

House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents whose contributions to educational institutions ensure that students obtain the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners, involved citizens, and future societal leaders; and

Whereas, Mark Kalmbach has attained considerable distinction as a Security Supervisor at Crowder College in Newton County, Missouri; and

Whereas, on May 18, 2007, Mark Kalmbach will enhance his already impressive record of achievement when he receives a Classified Staff Employee of the Year Award from the Neosho Area Chamber of Commerce; and

Whereas, from 1988 to 2003, Mark Kalmbach served Crowder College with weekend and holiday security; and

Whereas, when Mark Kalmbach accepted Security Supervisor duties, his time on campus shifted to afternoon and evening hours; and

Whereas, Mark Kalmbach makes certain that he is an obvious presence on campus by greeting evening students and faculty, assisting campus visitors, escorting people to their cars at night, meeting athletic buses upon their return from away games, and helping with such personal disasters as lost keys, locked cars, and vehicles with dead batteries; and

Whereas, Mark Kalmbach has proven highly effective at defusing tense situations with just a smile and calming words; and

Whereas, in addition to assisting Neosho police on occasion, Mark Kalmbach is a substitute teacher in the local school system, the pastor of a church, and an avid baseball fan:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Mark Kalmbach for a Classified Staff Employee of the Year Award from the Neosho Area Chamber of Commerce and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes for continued personal and professional success for many more years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Mark Kalmbach.

Offered by _____
Representative Kevin Wilson
District No. 130

Representative Marilyn Ruestman
District No. 131

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. ____, adopted _____, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker